

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

City of Eugene ♦ Oregon

PROCLAMATION

Whereas, The glass community of Eugene, Oregon has become a significant contributor to the arts, with over 1500 glass artists and artisans living in Lane County; and

Whereas, The Eugene Glass School annually brings over 500 people to Eugene to participate in its events and workshops; and

Whereas, Over a dozen artists have moved to the Eugene area to participate in the Eugene Glass School's activities; and

Whereas, The Oregon Glass Guild and other similar organizations support the Eugene Glass School's efforts to raise awareness of glass art in Oregon; and

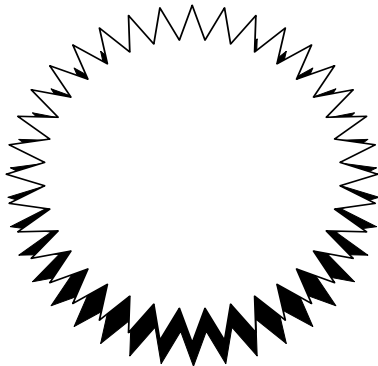
Whereas, To celebrate five years of teaching hot glass art techniques in Eugene, the Eugene Glass School will hold its Fifth Annual Dinner and auction at the Valley River Inn on October 23, 2004; and

Whereas, In conjunction with Glass Art Week, the Eugene Glass School will bring major glass artist Dante Marioni to Eugene to provide a public presentation on October 22 at the Valley River Inn,

Now, therefore, I, James D. Torrey, Mayor of the City of Eugene, do hereby proclaim the week of October 17 through October 23, 2004 to be

Glass Art Week

in Eugene, Oregon, and encourage all businesses and citizens to join in its observance by cherishing and celebrating glass art.



James D. Torrey, Mayor